## **Bike Walk Wethersfield**

Supporting all safe and healthy bicycling and pedestrian activities in our community!



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Dear Members of the Transportation and Environment Committee,

I am a co-founder of Bike Walk Wethersfield, a volunteer, non-profit group in Wethersfield advocating for safe and healthy bicycling and pedestrian activity in our community. On behalf of Bike Walk Wethersfield, I strongly support HB 5291 being considered today:

## SUPPORT SB 4 - AAC THE CONNECTICUT CLEAN AIR ACT

This bill is crucial for addressing climate change, including its provisions for reducing vehicle miles traveled. Connecticut's share of carbon emissions cannot be changed without reducing vehicle miles traveled.

Please vote to address climate change and ensure that S. B. 4 is aligned with:

- the State's 2030 greenhouse gas emissions reduction target and
- the Governor's Executive Order 21-3 for CT DOT to set a 2030 VMT reduction target to reduce carbon emissions

Respectfully submitted,

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